

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

REX CHAPPELL,

Plaintiff, No. CIV S-04-1183 LKK DAD P

vs.

C.K. PLILER, et al.,

Defendants. ORDER

Plaintiff is a state prisoner proceeding pro se and seeking relief pursuant to 42 U.S.C. § 1983. On March 24, 2008, plaintiff requested an extension of time to file a pretrial statement. On March 26, 2008, plaintiff filed a pretrial statement. Plaintiff's pretrial statement is premature and will be disregarded. In due course, the court will issue a scheduling order. In that order, the court will advise plaintiff when to file a pretrial statement.

Plaintiff is reminded that on February 21, 2008, this court issued an order requiring plaintiff to file a status report, addressing ten topics. Failure to file a timely status report or seek an extension of time to do so may result in the imposition of sanctions, including dismissal of the action or preclusion of issues or witnesses.

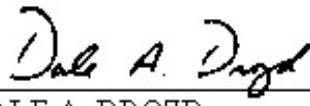
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1 Accordingly, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that:

- 2 1. Plaintiff's March 24, 2008 request for an extension of time is denied as  
3 unnecessary; and  
4 2. Plaintiff's March 26, 2008 pretrial statement is disregarded as premature.

5 DATED: April 3, 2008.

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8 DALE A. DROZD  
9 UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE

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